

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA**

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SCARCITY OF WATER IN HOSPITALS
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Union Government is aware that the Government hospitals in Delhi are facing acute water shortage ;
- (b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the reasons therefor; and
- (c) the steps taken by the Government for adequate supply of water in the Hospitals?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE (SMT. PANABAKA LAKSHMI)

- (a) to (c): No scarcity of water has been reported from the Central Government Hospitals in Delhi except for Safdarjung Hospital.

In order to address the water scarcity problem in Safdarjung Hospital, Dehi Jal Board (DJB) has been approached for augmentation of water supply to the Hospital.